

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
EASTERN DISTRICT OF MICHIGAN
SOUTHERN DIVISION

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Plaintiff,

v.

Case No. 17-mc-51307
Criminal Case No. 16-cr-20803
Honorable Matthew F. Leitman

TYRONE WEST,

Defendant,

SGT. JOSEPH SMITH,

Petitioner.

**STIPULATED ORDER GRANTING PETITION AND DIRECTING
RETURN OF FIREARM TO DETROIT POLICE DEPARTMENT**

The United States of America together with Sgt. Joseph Smith, by and through his attorney, Sharon Blackmon, hereby submit this Stipulated Order to grant Sgt. Smith's petition for return of one (1) Smith & Wesson, .40 caliber pistol, serial number HTU8418, to the Detroit Police Department, and stipulate and agree to the following:

1. On or about July 19, 2017, the Court entered a Stipulated Preliminary Order of Forfeiture (Dkt. 45, 16-cr-20803) forfeiting Defendant's right, title or interest in one (1) Smith & Wesson, .40 caliber pistol, serial number HTU8418.

2. The Detroit Police Department, by and through Sgt. Smith, filed a timely and proper petition for return of the Smith & Wesson, .40 caliber pistol, serial number HTU8418, on September 20, 2017 (Dkt. #1).

3. On or about October 5, 2016, the Court entered an amendment to the forfeiture order (Dkt. # 52, 16-cr-20803) ordering the return of the firearm to the Detroit Police Department.

4. The parties agree that right, title and interest of the Detroit Police Department in the one (1) Smith & Wesson, .40 caliber pistol, serial number HTU8418 is not forfeited to the United States, and the firearm may be released to the Detroit Police Department when it is no longer needed by the government as evidence in criminal case number 16-cr-20803, including in any direct appeal or thereafter.

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Dated: January 25, 2018

IT IS SO ORDERED.

s/Matthew F. Leitman
MATTHEW F. LEITMAN
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

Dated: January 26, 2018